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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

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8 **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**
9 **Plaintiff,**

10 **v.**

11 **ESTER BRAVO,**
12 **Defendant.**

CASE NO.: 08MJ2261

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**WAIVER OF CONFLICT OF
REPRESENTATION**

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14 **WAIVER OF CONFLICT**

15 **NOTICE TO THE COURT AND ALL PARTIES AND THEIR COUNSEL:**

16 **ESTER BRAVO makes the following informed consent to repre-**
17 **sentation by attorney Albert Sterwerf while he is also rep-**
18 **resenting Ana Lucia Bravo.**

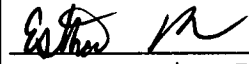
19 **1. Attorney Sterwerf has informed me of possible conflicts**
20 **of interest between myself and my co-defendant Ester Bravo.**
21 **I am making this waiver in the interest of convenience to**
22 **myself, the court, opposing counsel, and my family.**

23 **2. I am making this waiver for the limited purpose of any**
24 **bond/bail hearings only at this time.**

25 **3. If I continue to retain attorney Sterwerf subsequent to**
26 **the bail/bond hearings, I will so inform the court.**
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1 4. Attorney Sterwerf has strongly recommended that I review
2 any recommendations with an independent counsel before I
3 make my final decision or action in this matter.

4 Defendant Signature:

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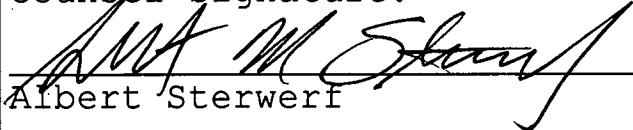
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6 ~~Ana Lucia~~ Bravo

6 *Esther*

7 I have been retained by Ms. Bravo to represent her and her
8 sister in this matter. I recognize the potential conflicts
9 and have informed Ms. Bravo of these conflicts. If I make
10 any recommendations past obtaining the release of Ms.
11 Bravo, I will have another attorney review my recommenda-
12 tion concerning its fairness to Ms. Bravo prior to making
13 the recommendation.

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15 Counsel Signature:

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17 Albert Sterwerf

Date: 8-4-08

PROOF OF SERVICE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE

I am employed in the County of Orange. I declare that I am over the age of eighteen (18) and not a party to this action. My business address is 1352 Irvine Boulevard; Tustin, California 92780.

On August 4, 2008, I served the following document described as:

SUBSTITUTION OF ATTORNEY

on the interested parties in this action by placing the true copies thereof enclosed in sealed envelopes as follows:

James Malendrag
US Attorney office
San Diego CA

() I mailed the said envelopes via certified return receipt mail from Tustin, California. The envelopes were mailed with postage thereon fully prepaid.

☒ By Personal Service, I caused such envelope to be delivered by hand to the individuals at the addresses listed.

() By overnight courier, I caused the above-referenced document(s) to be delivered to an overnight courier service (United Parcel Service), for delivery to the above addressee(s).

() By facsimile machine, I caused the above-referenced document(s) to be transmitted to the above-named person at the following telephone number above.

() (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

☒ (FEDERAL) I declare that I am employed in the office of a member of the bar of this court at whose direction the service was made.

EXECUTED this date August 4, 2008, at Tustin, California.

Respectfully submitted,

